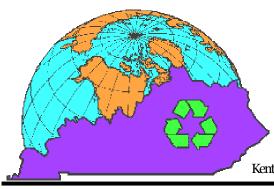
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CAN WE MAKE THE MARKETPLACE GREEN?

The color green has increased in popularity over this last year and is projected to continue its rise to fame in the coming months and years. Green is now associated with carbon footprints, insulation, solar panels, automobiles, shampoo, cleaners for homes and businesses, and of course, paper. We often see "Please consider the environment before printing this email" when we read our messages, so I'm asking a favor: If you receive the snail mail version, please consider going GREEN and forgo the paper copy of The Marketplace. As a state agency, we are continually looking for ways to save dollars and you, as a taxpayer, can help with this goal. Contact information can be found at the end of this sheet if you decide to go green!

2009 BLUEGRASS REGIONAL SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING SUMMIT

The Bluegrass Area Development District will host the 2009 Bluegrass Regional Solid Waste and Recycling Summit. In observance of Earth Day, the summit will be filled with opportunities to share a common vision for solid waste and recycling for the Bluegrass region. The event will take place Thursday, April 23, 2009 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Embassy Suites, 1801 Newtown Pike in Lexington. Reservations are required and must be received by noon Friday, April 17, 2009. To register, please contact Mary Ann Fegley at 859-269-8021 or mfegley@bgadd.org. For more information on the 2009 Summit, contact David Duttlinger at dduttlinger@bgadd.org or Laurel Wood at lwood@bgadd.org. NOTE: The 2009 Bluegrass Regional Solid Waste & Recycling Summit has been approved for 4.25 hours under the County Elected Officials' Training Incentive Program.

RECYCLING COMMODITIES SHOWING SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT

Recycling markets remain in flux with some areas of the country down slightly or stagnant. Other areas are experiencing small gains as prices continue to creep up. Export prices are steadily advancing in small increments. The recession and lower commodity prices are drying up paper, plastics and scrap metal generation. As demand increases though the coming year (hopefully by mid-summer), there will be less supply to fill that increasing demand. Now is the time for community recycling operations to continue shipping materials. Shipping commodities keeps the market outlets open and, as importantly, demonstrates loyalty to the mills, scrap dealers or brokers that keep the collective processes flowing and cash flows open. Cities and counties loyal to their markets stand a better chance of reaping the benefit as prices and trade improve.

KENTUCKY EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION

The Kentucky Educational Television network (KET) is going digital on April 16 across the state, ahead of the federal deadline of June 12. Those not already on cable, satellite or have digital TVs should connect the converter boxes using the federal government provided FREE coupon for a \$40 discount on the purchase of converter boxes. For more information about the digital switchover, see the Web site http://www.ntia.doc.gov/dtvcoupon/index.html.

WASTE TIRE AMNESTY

The 2009 Spring Waste Tire Amnesty kicked off April 2 – 4 with Franklin County (Bluegrass Add) and Trigg County of the Pennyrile ADD collecting tires. The rest of the counties in the two area development districts will continue until it ends with Anderson County, July 23 – 25. Click on http://www.waste.ky.gov/branches/rla/Waste+Tires.htm to view the spring schedule for the remaining counties. For additional information, contact Jeff Claywell at 502-564-6716, ext. 4635 or by e-mail, Jeff.Claywell@ky.gov.

The digital television (DTV) transition deadline is June 12.

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quoted for manufacturers. Prices flu	ictuate daily or weekl	y, and are base	ed on the second	l week of the n	nonth, unless of	herwise noted,	and may change	
Paper	\$ per ton	Board and Mill purchase prices, baled, FOB seller's dock. From April 4, Official Board Markets Yellow Sheet, Chicago market.					Previous month	Previous Year
Mixed Paper	15-20						15-20	85-90
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Sorted Office	90-95						90-100	220-230
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Newsprint #6	5-10						5-10	80-85
	35-40						35-40	100-110
Newsprint #8	33-40						33-40	100-110
Sorted White Lodger	150 160						150 160	210 220
Sorted White Ledger	150-160						150-160	310-320
Commented Contains	20.05						25.42	440.400
Corrugated Containers	30-35						35-40	110-120
Plastics	Cents per lb.				y, contacted A	pril 9.		
		Baled, FOE	seller's dock	Priced as loa	ads available.	T		
Polyethylene Terephthalate	7	clear and	green (mixed	d)			8	17
(PET-soda bottles)								
High Density Polyethylene	18	natural					18	38
(HDPE-milk jugs) #2							-	
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Glass	\$ per ton	Waste and Recycling News Commodity Pricing April 9; average						
		for truckload quantities, delivered to end-user, Chicago market.						
Clear	15						15	25
	1.0							
Amber	8						8	16
AHDEI	0						0	10
Groon	5						1	A
Green	3						4	4
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	\$ per gross ton							
Stool Cans	51	Waste and Recycling News Commodity pricing contacted Mar.					52	267
Steel Cans) i	9, Tractor Trailor Load, Baled, FOB seller's dock.					52	201



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